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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

KAREEM GOODWINE, ADLER VILLARSON AND  
SHANE WEEKES,

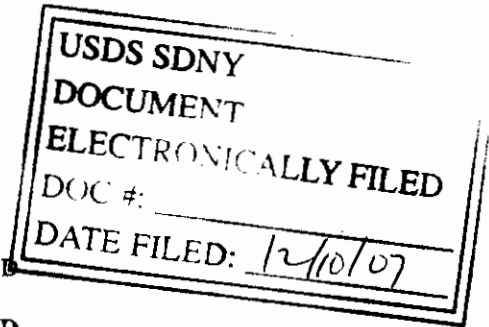
Plaintiff,

-against-

THE CITY OF NEW YORK, N.Y.C. POLICE  
DET. EDWIN SUAREZ, SHIELD #03799, AND N.Y.C. 07 CV 3756( RJS)  
POLICE OFFICERS "JOHN DOE (1) & (2)", EACH  
BEING SUED INDIVIDUALLY AND IN THEIR  
OFFICIAL CAPACITY,

Defendants.

STIPULATION AND  
ORDER OF  
SETTLEMENT AND  
DISMISSAL



WHEREAS, plaintiffs commenced this action on May 11, 2007 by filing a  
complaint alleging, *inter alia*, violations of this civil rights pursuant to 42 USC § 1983; and

WHEREAS, defendants have denied any and all liability arising out of plaintiffs'  
allegations; and

WHEREAS, the parties now desire to resolve the issues raised in this litigation,  
without further proceedings and without admitting any fault or liability; and

WHEREAS, plaintiffs have authorized their counsel to settle this matter on the  
terms set forth below;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by  
and between the undersigned, as follows:

1. The above-referenced action is hereby dismissed, with prejudice, and  
without costs, expenses, or fees in excess of the amount specified in paragraph "2" below.

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2. Defendant City of New York hereby agrees to pay plaintiffs **KAREEM GOODWINE, ADLER VILLARSON AND SHANE WEEKES** a combined sum of **THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$30,000)**, to be paid as follows: **KAREEM GOODWINE** a sum of **FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000)**; **SHANE WEEKES** a sum of **FIVE THOUSAND (\$5,000)**; **ALDER VILARSON** a sum of **TWENTY THOUSAND (\$20,000)**, in full satisfaction of all claims, including claims for costs, expenses and attorney's fees. In consideration for the payment of this sum, plaintiffs agree to the dismissal of all the claims against the City of New York and all of the named defendants and to release all defendants and any present and former employees or agents of the City of New York, from any and all liability, claims, or rights of action that have or could have been alleged by plaintiff's in this action arising out of the events alleged in the complaint in this action, including claims for costs, expenses and attorney's fees.

3. Plaintiffs shall execute and deliver to defendants' attorney all documents necessary to effect this settlement, including, without limitation General Releases based on the terms of paragraph 2 above and Affidavits of No Liens.

4. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to be an admission by the defendants that they have in any manner or way violated plaintiffs' rights, or the rights of any other person or entity, as defined in the constitutions, statutes, ordinances, rules or regulations of the United States, the State of New York, or the City of New York or any other rules, regulations or bylaws of any department or subdivision of the City of New York. This stipulation and settlement shall not be admissible in, nor is it related to, any other litigation or settlement negotiations.

5. Nothing contained herein shall be deemed to constitute a policy or practice of the City of New York, or the New York City Police Department.

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6. This Stipulation and Order contains all the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties hereto, and no oral agreement entered into at any time nor any written agreement entered into prior to the execution of this Stipulation and Order regarding the subject matter of the instant proceeding shall be deemed to exist, or to bind the parties hereto, or to vary the terms and conditions contained herein.

Dated: New York, New York  
November 15, 2007

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Assistant Corporation Counsel

SO ORDERED:

  
HONORABLE RICHARD J. SULLIVAN  
U.S.D.J.  
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